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BPA and SOLV join Madison High Students to Clean up Johnson Lake

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What: An all-day clean-up and tree planting of Johnson Lake to celebrate "Earth Day in May."

Who: Julie Howland, Madison High School and Jennifer Devlin, City of Portland Environmental Services will be available to answer questions and give comments at the event.

Volunteers from the Bonneville Power Administration and students from Madison High School are joining forces with SOLV (Stop Oregon Litter and Vandalism), Safeway, the City of Portland Environmental Services and Owens Brockway Glass.

When: Tuesday, May 18, 9 a.m. – noon, 1 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Where: Johnson Lake's entrance is on N.E. Colfax, just off N.E. 92nd and Columbia Blvd (just west of I-205).

Why: Johnson Lake is a four-acre site owned and managed by Portland Parks Bureau. The land is a vital nesting and feeding ground. Madison High School students have maintained the site for the last two years and asked BPA to help remove non-native species of plants that are overgrowing the area.

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